



WEED CONTROL PROGRAM PRESENTED: Results of various weed control studies underway at the Wiregrass Substation were presented by researchers during the Weed Control Field Day held June 19 at the Substation in Headland. Presentations included the results of a study on the relationship between peanut seed size and herbicide injury being conducted at the Substation, an outlying research unit of the Alabama Agricultural Experiment Station at Auburn University. Findings from various herbicide trials on corn, peanuts, and cotton also were presented and a presentation was given on the Plant Disease Diagnostic Laboratory at Auburn. Visitors toured research plots at the Substation and a question and answer session was held. Program participants included Glen Welte, associate professor of agronomy and soils at Auburn who is conducting research at the Substation; Henry Ivey, Substation superintendent; Larry Wells, associate superintendent at the Substation; Brian Gambill, assistant superintendent at the Substation; Bill Curtis, district agent with the Alabama Cooperative Extension Service; Jackie Mullen, head of the Plant Disease Diagnostic Lab; and John Everest, Extension weed specialist.

Safe Food Preparation Discussed

Angela Hughes - County Agent

CREDIT CARDS

A common type of credit is credit cards—those small pieces of plastic which can be like magic carpets or steel traps.

Use of a credit card means you accept the terms under which it was issued, even if no formal agreement has been signed. Be sure you understand the terms before you use the card.

Not all credit cards allow spreading payments over a period. Some are due upon receipt of statement. If the card states payment due at a specified time from the billing date, the "no interest" period begins the date the bill is written. If the payments are spread over a period, the amount may become due if you miss one payment.

The issuer of the credit card may change the agreement at any time. If you use the card after the specified date, you are agreeing to the new terms. The credit card holder is responsible for all charges made against the card until he notifies the issuer that his card has been lost or stolen.

There is generally a charge for credit card service. This may be reflected in initial fees, service charges or higher prices.

Credit is a vital part of our economic system, and the person or institution offering credit does so for profit and to encourage consumers to buy more.

SAFE FOOD PREPARATION

While many foods such as fruits and vegetables are best in their natural state, others are not safe unless they have been processed. Certain foods eaten raw, such as lettuce, need thorough washing.

Many raw foods, most notably poultry, meats and unpasteurized milk, are very often contaminated with disease-causing pathogens. Thorough cooking will kill the pathogens, but remember that the temperature of all parts of the food must reach at least 165 degrees Fahrenheit for beef and pork and 185 degrees for poultry.

When cooked foods cool to room temperature, microbes begin to multiply. To be on the safe side, eat cooked foods as soon as they come off the heat. If you must prepare foods in advance or want to keep leftovers, be sure to store them under either hot (above 140 degrees Fahrenheit) or cool (near or below 40 degrees Fahrenheit) conditions.

Reheat cooked foods thoroughly to protect against microbes that may have developed during storage. Avoid contact between raw foods and cooked foods. Since foods are so easily contaminated, any surface used for food preparation must be kept absolutely clean. Wash hands thoroughly before you start preparing food and after every interruption. Protect foods from insects, rodents and other animals. If you have any doubts about the water supply, boil water before adding to food or making ice for drinks.

WATER CONSERVATION
Using water-saving products provides many benefits including: conservation of a valuable resource, lower monthly water and sewer fees, lower hot water costs and a less expensive new septic leach field.

Two effective ways of lowering usage and energy bills are through the use of low-flow showerheads and low flush toilets. Aerators on sink faucets will also help reduce hot water bills.

Showerheads are normally designed to supply from 5 to 7 gallons of water per minute. Well designed fixtures will reduce only the quantity of water and not the force at which it is delivered, they can save up to half of the water used. Low-flow showerheads release water at the rate of 2 to 3 gallons per minute instead of the usual 5 and are easy to install.

The toilet is usually the single largest user of water in the home or office. The water bill for this usage may not seem high when compared to other utility expenses, but excess waste water drives up the cost of building and operating sewage treatment plants. The average household toilet using 3.5 gallons per flush, flushes 16,400 gallons of waste per year down the drain. With the older 5 gallon models, the average is 23,400 gallons per year. Low-flush toilets average 7,000 gallons.

We are not in a water shortage yet, but we should start being conservative minded in the use of our natural resources.

Peanut Contracts Due July 31

Contracts drawn up between peanut producers and handlers to sell 1990-crop additional peanuts for export or crushing must be filed by July 31. Dave W. Eaddy, CEO of the Coffee County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, said. Additional peanuts are those grown in excess of the farm's poundage or on a farm that does not have a poundage quota, Eaddy explained.

He reminds peanut producers and handlers that they are responsible for contract agreements, and advises them to check the peanut contracts before signing to assure that the contract is correct in all respects.

As required for the 1989 crop, ASCS office by the July 31 deadline.

1990-crop peanut contracts submitted to ASCS for approval must contain certain specific information. Producers and handlers who are unfamiliar with required information may contact the Coffee County ASCS Office for assistance.

Eaddy said other items, in addition to the required information, may be included; however, these items may not negate any of the required provisions of the contract.

Peanut producers and handlers who have entered into contracts must submit the contracts to each respective contracting producer's local ASCS office by the July 31 deadline.

Free Tax Guide Helps Farmers

A free publication, designed to explain how tax laws apply to farming, is available from the Internal Revenue Service. IRS Publication 225, "Farmer's Tax Guide," contains information covering such topics as farm business expenses, tax credits, and soil and water conservation expenditures. The guide can be a valuable resource at tax time as well as a handy reference all year. It has a sample return with step-by-step instructions on filling out not only Schedule F, "Farm Income and Expenses," but also other forms and schedules dealing with tax situations common to farmers.

Important tax changes, a calendar of important dates, and important reminders alert readers to items of interest which affect the farmer as a taxpayer. Useful topics include discussions on employment tax responsibilities for agricultural employers, how to handle payments received under a government program, along with tips on methods of recordkeeping and accounting.

The "Farmer's Tax Guide" was prepared by the IRS, with assistance of the National Farm Income Tax Extension Committee and suggestions made by its readers. The publication can be ordered by calling 1-800-424-3676.

Fiddling And Bluegrass Convention To Be Held

The 13th Annual Fiddling and Bluegrass Convention will be held September 14 and 15, 1990 in Huntsville, AL. Admission is \$4.00 Friday, \$5.00 Saturday, \$8.00 both days, children under 12 free with parents. The festivities will be held in Cahaba Shrine Temple Property (Corner of Pulaski Pike and Winchester Road, Huntsville, AL). For further information contact Ken Grady (205) 883-4576, Dick Turner (205) 536-0890, Mutt Hornbuckle (205) 881-6990, Benny Robinson (205) 839-0478, Cahaba Temple (205) 859-4471.

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COFFEE AND DALE COUNTIES FILE CLASS ACTION CLAIM

\$63 million flood claim filed against government

by Ferrin Cox
Elba Clipper Publisher

Tuesday papers were filed with the federal government in Washington claiming damage losses from the South Alabama flood of March 17, 1990. The two claims are asking for more than \$63 million in damages from the federal government.

The claimants suffered losses due to government agencies not complying with the law relating to notifying the public of the availability and cost of the flood insurance program, according to the papers filed with the government Tuesday.

Two separate class action claims were filed. One was filed on behalf

of a group of named Coffee County citizens "and all persons in Coffee County, Alabama, similarly situated." This tort claim is for \$52,769,519.98.

The other was filed for three named Dale County citizens and all persons in Dale County, Alabama, similarly situated, who also suffered flood damage during March. Their claim is for \$11,139,019.83. It is also considered a class action claim.

The claims against the Federal Emergency Management Agency are the first step in filing a class action law suit.

If the government formally denies the claims, suit can then be filed in federal court immediately. If the

government doesn't respond within six months from the date of filing, it is considered a denial and the lawsuit can be filed at that time.

If such federal lawsuit is filed, it will be a non-jury case, that is heard by a judge and decided strictly on the wording of the law and evidence of compliance or noncompliance by those charged with carrying out the mandates of Congress.

The Coffee County claims were filed on behalf of Big Little Stores, Inc., R. D. Easters, James Drexel Cook, Nell Cook, Drexel Cook and Mack Wise, a partnership, Cook Chevrolet, Inc., The Peoples Bank, and all persons in Coffee County, Alabama similarly situated.

claims of the members of the class seek to represent and the claimants and their attorneys will fairly and adequately protect the interests of the class.

The claim asserts: "The National Flood Insurance Act was passed in 1968 for the purpose of making flood insurance available to those in areas where the risk of flood is high. The Act placed a non-discretionary obligation on the Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to take necessary actions to make information and data available to the public with regard to publicizing the flood insurance program, its coverage and objectives."

"The Director of FEMA and other employees of the United States Government involved in the administration of the National Flood Insurance Program totally failed to perform the mandatory statutory duty to give notice of the flood insurance program and the availability of flood insurance in Coffee County."

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EXCUTIVE SESSION CALLED ECSB approves 8% pay raise

by Ferrin Cox
Elba Clipper Publisher

The Elba City School Board voted last Wednesday night to approve an 8% pay raise for teachers and support personnel, heard a status report on the mobile classroom units and site preparation progress at the new school location plus a lengthy executive session requested by former teacher John Tucker and AEA representative Ben Stringer.

There were thirty visitors present at the meeting. The new pay schedule, mandated by the Alabama legislature and approved by the school board will pay teachers from a low of \$21,405 for a beginning teacher up to \$29,350 for teachers with an "AA" certificate and ten or more years service in the system.

Superintendent Charles Pearce reported the new mobile units are coming in daily and two crews will be setting them up. He said the surveys would be finished Tuesday (July 17) and then selection of exact locations for the new school buildings could begin.

Pearce also asked the board to approve accepting a compromise settlement of \$391,000 with the federal government on impact aid as a result of the flood. The money is from a fund to pay for temporary housing of the schools following a disaster. Pearce said this will completely pay for the first mobile units purchased by the school system.

The administration is still working with the federal government on a settlement of actual damages to the school buildings and contents.

The executive session was called at the request of John Tucker and AEA representative Ben Stringer. However after they emerged from the meeting, the group continued in executive session for some time.

When the closed session was over the board adjourned without taking any action or making any comments concerning the matter or matters discussed during the closed door portion of the meeting.

DISCUSSED EDUCATION, ECONOMICS & DRUGS

Governor's mini tour includes Elba

By Marvin McIlwain
Elba Clipper Editor

Governor Guy Hunt made a "whistle stop" in downtown Elba Tuesday morning and spoke to a crowd of approximately seventy-five individuals gathered in the Elba courtroom.

The governor was on a "mini tour" of southeast Alabama Tuesday morning and spoke to a crowd of approximately seventy-five individuals gathered in the Elba courtroom.

During the governor's fifteen minute speech, he touched on education, the state's economic development and the war on drugs.

"We have had three successful years," Governor Hunt said, "and I'm encouraged by the economic development of the state."

He continued, "In 1989, we were third in the nation, behind California and Florida, in the number of new and expanded manufacturing plants."

Hunt stated that due to this economic growth, the state has had no tax increase. The growth has brought about the necessary revenue without having to place the burden upon the taxpayer.

On the topic of education, Hunt told those gathered that the state's educational budget had been increased by \$630 million since he became governor. He said this has been done without raising taxes.

Hunt stated that Alabama led the nation last year in the number of students graduating from high school with an increase from 70% to 75%.

"We need to diminish the AEA's influence on our society," he said, "and get back to testing teachers."

The governor said that dedicated teachers need to be appreciated. "We will never be able to pay good teachers what they're really worth," he said, "but whatever you pay a bad teacher is too much."

He said that he is very proud of the new school that will be built in Elba and that it will be a nice and modern facility.

On the war on drugs, Governor Hunt told the Elbans that he had just announced in Troy, a \$200,000 grant to be used in establishing a drug task force to fight drugs in Pike and Coffee Counties.

The mission of the task force will be to eradicate drugs from communities and schools within these two counties. Other such task forces are being established throughout the state.

Hunt promised to continue working toward the passage of stronger new anti-drug laws.

Before departing, the governor introduced Alabama's First Lady, Helen Hunt. She said that the people of Elba have been in her prayers since the terrible tragedy of the flood.

The governor also informed the crowd that Elba's Mayor, Fred Moore, was in Montgomery attending a three day conference on ways to encourage retirees to move to Alabama, preferably to the rural areas. This is one way to build our state, the governor said.

It has been established that people retiring bring to their area of retirement approximately \$250,000 in revenue. This would certainly be a boost to rural Alabama's economy.

When asked by a reporter what he thought of Elba's progress since the flood, he responded, "I appreciate how the community has pulled together during these times and how well they are working toward recovery."

"...resulting from the Director's total failure to comply with the mandates of 42 U. S. C. §4020"

All those filing this suit had losses caused when the high waters of Whitewater Creek and Pea River

Dorsey Trailers to hold open house on Sunday of this week

Dorsey Trailers is holding an open house this Sunday, July 22 from 1:30 until 4:00 p.m.

There will be an awards ceremony honoring the firms top 10 distributors at 3:00 p.m.

The public is invited to visit the facility and learn more about this hometown industry.



PICTURED ARE: (Front Row) Betty and Lamar Foley; (Second Row) G. A. Lindsey, Dr. Billy Harris, Charles Pearce, Bob Roberson and Myrna Rhoades.

LINDSEY: "HE TOUCHED MANY LIVES"

Lamar Foley retires from Elba School System after 29 years

By Marvin McIlwain
Elba Clipper Editor

Levy Lamar Foley retired from the Elba School system after 29 years of service.

On Sunday, Mr. Foley was honored with a reception at the Elba Assembly of God Church. A host of friends and fellow educators came by to express their appreciation to Lamar for his years of dedicated service.

Elba School Board Chairman, G. A. Lindsey summed it up rather well by saying, "Mr. Foley has touched many lives during his years of teaching and leadership in the field of education."

Mr. Foley, a native of Elba, was educated in the Elba school system and in 1961 he returned to his alma

mata to serve as principal of the high school.

Prior to his return, he served three years in the U.S. Navy, taught at the Elba School for three months, worked with the F.B.I., eighteen months and taught math & science at Zion Chapel High School.

In 1983, Mr. Foley turned over the reins of principal to Mickey McCollough to serve as coordinator of the Career Incentive Program. He served in this capacity until 1987.

Mr. Foley was hired as Superintendent of Elba City Schools in 1987 and he held this position until July 1, 1990 when he resigned to enter into retirement.

Lamar's leadership during the past few months," said Lindsey,

has prepared the Elba School System well for the challenge it faces in the months ahead."

Charles Pearce, another Elba native and a product of the Elba School System, has accepted the position of superintendent of schools. He will be overseeing the system during the months ahead as the city schools continue to function and make preparations for the construction of a completely new school facility.

Mr. Foley has stated that he'll still be available to assist, if need be, in any way that he can as the school system goes through this trying time.

Joining Mr. Foley during this time of celebration was his wife, Betty.

\$15,000 MATCHING FUNDS

City of New Brockton receives block planning grant from ADECA

By Marvin McIlwain
Elba Clipper Editor

Just in Time! Lenwood Herron, a municipal management consultant, had just made it to the council meeting before Mayor Pro-Tem Bud Goodson led the gavel fall - ending the meeting.

Herron, who is with Southern Research Center, Inc. of Quincy, Florida, informed the New Brockton City Councilman that the city was one of

ten in the state to receive a planning grant.

The community development block grant was applied for and obtained through ADECA (Alabama Department of Economic and Community Affairs). Funding will be used to prepare a comprehensive plan for land development regulations consisting of the following: zoning regulations, subdivision regulations and site plan review.

Total cost of the project is \$30,000 with \$15,000 being provided by ADECA, \$7,500 by the local cash match and \$15,000 in-kind services.

The council voted unanimously to accept the grant and authorized the mayor to sign the contract.

This is the second planning grant to be received by New Brockton in two years. The first grant funded an overall in-depth, comprehensive development planning study.

Councilman Ralph Medley told the council that the reconditioned fire truck being considered for purchase by the fire department proved to be unsatisfactory. In Medley's words, "It appears they were misled on that truck; it was a pile of junk!"

The fire department is considering a different proposal on the purchase of an additional pumper for the department. It will be presented to the council at a later date.

Councilman Charles Cole asked for and received approval from the council to request a report from the State of Alabama Auditor's Office on the review performed several months ago.

He stated that as far as he knew, no report of any kind was ever received concerning the work they did in New Brockton.

Cole stated, "Whatever they found or didn't find, they should have put it in writing and sent it to us!"

In the absence of Mayor Jim Driskell, who was in Montgomery on city business, Mayor Pro-Tem Bud Goodson presided over the council meeting.

Other action by the council acted on the following matters:

***Approved payment of the bills totaling \$6,843.17 (Included in that amount was the third payment, \$4,876.00, to the League of Municipalities for the city's insurance premium.)

***Approved the installation of a driveway culvert at the Elba Road Myers residence on Byrd-Mill Road (Myers purchased the culvert).

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BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

During the first days following the March 17th flood, both the Elba police and the sheriff's department made arrest of some local citizens for trespassing. It was people who went back into the flood zone without permission of security guards. Recently all these charges were dropped, and with the approval of arresting officers, District Attorney's office and most assuredly those arrested. It was exactly what we were hoping would be done. The flood was over, those arrested were not stealing, they were either going to their own property or to help someone else who was flooded. And as Assistant District Attorney Al Smith noted, "The flood is over, the arrest made the point officers wanted to make at that time and there could be no useful purpose served in taking the cases any further... it is time to put all that behind us".

We had a rash of phone calls Tuesday morning concerning some charges in what is apparently a marital dispute. Our callers wanted names in the paper etc. They will not get them. We did check out the matter and found the charges, be they proven or unproven, are in the misdemeanor class. We didn't publish any names with misdemeanor cases last week nor last month, therefore we don't intend to do so today. We are aware that our interested callers will be disappointed. We regret leaving a single person unhappy, but to use names in this case would give us a moral obligation to do the same with all misdemeanor charges and that just isn't part of our plans right now.

Our family slipped off to the white beaches of Gulf Shores last weekend. Don't know why flood victims think we can afford beach motel charges, but we did it anyway. Sunday morning we got to talk for a few minutes with Alabama Supreme Court Chief Justice Sonny Hornsby. He was of course concerned about folks in Elba and has the court system done enough to get the Circuit Clerk's office back in action. Also he made some strong promises that the entire court system was going to give better service to the citizens of Alabama. We hope he can do this, but first he has got to get the attention of some judges who like the position but find that holding court disrupts their other activities.

There was an article in Monday's Montgomery Advertiser concerning the Elba flood of March 17, SBA etc. The first thing we noticed was the report that "the levee broke killing 14 people". Then we noted all the good words about SBA and determined the reporter had gotten the words from SBA. Reading further we read that SBA was still calling people to apply for their SBA loans. We called the reporter because we are proud of Elba citizens working fast and efficiently to save all their neighbors. She blamed the 14 deaths report on editing by someone else, because she was out of town when the story was edited. When we noted her SBA information obviously came from the SBA public relations because Elba folks would have painted a different picture, she blamed that on "Your mayor because he didn't return my phone call... we think she said Sunday". At that point we just apologized for calling her and didn't mention the error of the statement that there was still time to file for SBA loan. No master loan except business economic loans can still be applied for in Elba. We mistakenly thought any reporter would welcome correct information, but then apparently we found one that doesn't make mistakes.

WE GET LETTERS

Dear Editor:

I no longer live in Elba. My husband and I had to relocate after the flood. We lost everything. Elba is my hometown. I was born and raised here and lived 22 years of my married life there.

My husband and I moved to Panama City, FL, but I have kept in touch and I receive The Elba Clipper through the mail. I've got one thing I'd like to say and this comes from the heart. I'm sick and tired of hearing about beautiful Downtown Elba. It's not so beautiful anymore. If more time and money had went into repairing the levee instead of downtown, there might not have been so many hearts tore apart. You see I live with this hurt everyday and I'm not alone. My heart goes out to anyone who lost or suffered from this.

I was in Elba a couple of weeks ago. It still hurt me to ride the streets and see things that are not there and to see how things still are. I think the levee still should have come first. People didn't live on the streets downtown.

As far as the Hank Williams Concert. We didn't receive one red cent from that. Hank gave that concert for

one purpose and that was to help the Elba Flood Victims, so what happened to our part?

We were victims.

Thank you, Genie Adcock

Editor's Note: The discussion over how to spend the money referred to is how to spend the money referred to in the newspaper. We checked and discovered a check was apparently issued to this letter writer. If she nor her husband receive the check, that is another problem.

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PUBLIC RECORDS IN THE TRUEST SENSE!! Chief Probate Clerk Neil Harrison checks out the "clothesline" or is it the "recording line"? Some of the restored records being returned from the firm in Texas came in not wet, but in a "damp state". They say that it's "normal", but the employees of the probate judge's office felt that a little sunshine certainly would not hurt the records any. So, they hung 'em out to dry! Don't worry folks - if it looks like rain, they take them in!!



4-H CAMP - Swimming, riflery, archery, making new friends - these were some of the favorite activities of the Coffee County 4-Hers who attended 4-H camp at the Alabama 4-H Development Center near Columbiana July 9, 10, 11.

The camp day began at 7:50 with flag raising and pledges and included sessions of crafts, fishing, sports events, Indiana Jones' rope courses and other fun experiences. A costume party, a hamburger cook-out and a rally took up spaces between other sessions.

The purpose of 4-H camp is for fun, but the results are educational. Forty-eight youth from Kinston, Elba, Zion Chapel, New Brockton and Enterprise enjoyed the three days away from home. The adults with them were Richard Petcher, Angela Hughes, Psyche Busby and Doris Mallory.

AREA DEATHS

BILL BLOUNT

Bill Blount, 59, of Coffee County died Thursday June 5, 1990. Funeral services were held Monday, July 9th at 3:00 p.m. from the Oak Grove Baptist Church of Elba. Rev. Charles Jones conducted the services. Virgil Coleman Mortuary was in charge of arrangements and burial in Antioch Cemetery.

Survivors include four aunts Preston Smiley, Alberta Smiley, Josephine Graham, Peacola Smiley; one sister Doris Addie Ruth Blount Thomas, and a host of nieces and nephews.

ROBERT EARL LANE

Robert Earl Lane passed away July 6, 1990 in the Andalusia Hospital.

He was the son of Robert and Bernice Lane of Opp. He was one day old.

Services were held July 10th at 1:00 p.m. from Virgil Coleman Mortuary with Rev. V. J. Coleman officiating. Burial followed in the Bethlehem Cemetery, Elba with Virgil Coleman Mortuary directing.

CLAUDE L. RHODES, 91, of Kinston died July 1, 1990 in Elba General.

Bulletin Board

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City Of Elba Police Report

The Elba Police Department, during the week beginning Tuesday, July 10, investigated the following incidents: two theft of property, one harassing communication, one criminal mischief, two forgery, one disorderly conduct, four V.P.L., one assault, one bad check, one attempt to elude and two D.U.I's.

Arrests made in the same period of time included: one for speeding, one for harassment, one for assault, two for suspended driver's license, two for no driver's license, one for expired tag, two for D.U.I., one for writing bad checks, four for V.P.L., one for expired driver license, two driving while revoked, one for reckless driving, one for attempting to elude, and one for speeding.

Daily activity for the week was as follows:

TUESDAY, JULY 10
Wreck at the intersection of Buford and Court streets (2:55 p.m.); Wreck on Smith ave. (7:09 p.m.); Routine activity.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11
Fire on Sunset Blvd. (3:53 p.m.); Routine activity.

THURSDAY, JULY 12
Routine activity.

FRIDAY, JULY 13
Alarm @ South Trust Bank (6:45 a.m.); Disturbance at Little Beaver Trailer Court (4:25 p.m.); Routine activity.

SATURDAY, JULY 14
Routine activity.

SUNDAY, JULY 15
Rescue run to residence on Co. Rd. 80 (6:39 p.m.); Routine activity.

MONDAY, JULY 16
Rescue run to Powell's Trailer Park (12:41 a.m.); Rescue run to Legion Field (6:20 p.m.); Routine activity.

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Claims (Continued from Page 1)

As a result of the total failure to give notice... the claimants and the similarly situated class members whom they represent were unaware of the availability of the flood insurance coverage and its reasonable cost and consequently maintained no flood insurance coverage on property in Coffee County, Alabama.

Had the director and other United States Government employees... publicized the flood insurance program, its coverage and premium rates, as required by the code, the class members would have purchased flood insurance coverage through the program.

The class suffered uninsured flood loss of \$50,000,000. The claim ends with words "as compensation for the uninsured loss resulting from the Director's total failure to comply with the mandates of 42 U.S.C. §4020i".

The \$50 million figure in the uninsured loss statement is the same amount being used by the United States Small Business Administration news releases as the total for the loan requests they are processing in Coffee County.

The Dale County claim was filed for Johnny Childs, Wayne D. Waters and Jim H. Strength and all persons in Dale County, Alabama similarly situated. The reasons given in this claim are identical to the Coffee County claim.

Representing the claimants is Joe C. Cassidy of Cassidy, Fuller & Marsh in Enterprise plus Maury D. Smith, M. Roland Nachman and Donald R. Jones, Jr. of Balch & Bingham in Montgomery.

Cook Chevrolet Donates Flood Damaged Cars To Al. Automotive Training Programs

Thirty new Chevrolet automobiles were donated to Alabama educational institutions on Thursday, July 12. The vehicles were damaged in recent flooding at the Cook Chevrolet Dealership in Elba.

The donation ceremony, which was held in Wetumpka, AL, was attended by Dr. Fred Gaius, Chancellor of the Department of Postsecondary Education, and representatives from Chevrolet Motor Division, Cook Chevrolet and Bessmer State Technical College's General Motors Training Center. Patterson State Technical College coordinated transportation of the vehicles to the institutions.

Twenty-eight of the automobiles were given to postsecondary institutions and two were presented to high school programs.

TSUD Receives Accreditation

Troy State University at Dothan has been informed by Dr. James T. Rodgers, Executive Director of the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, that the institution has satisfactorily completed the Institutional Self-Study Program. TSUD's accreditation was reaffirmed by the Commission on Colleges at its meeting on June 20, 1990.

This insures quality education through criteria established by members of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, stated Dr. Rodgers. TSUD is reaffirmed for ten years with an intermediate study to take place in five years.

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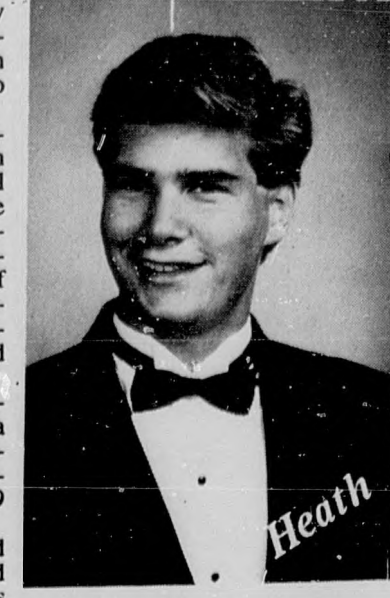
Derek Heath Trammell Receives Scholarship To The University of Al.

The Houston-Henry County Chapter of the University of Alabama National Alumni Association recently awarded scholarships to several Dothan area students.

Receiving the Alto V. Lee Tuition Scholarship was Derek Heath Trammell of Dothan High School with a dual enrollment at Wallace College. He was president of the Dothan High School Government Association, a member and chairman of the Finance Committee for the Alabama District of Key Club International, and was on the Junior Board of Performing Arts.

He was also a member of the Future Business Leaders of America, a National English Merit Award Winner in 1989, a U.S. National Leadership Merit Award Winner for 1989 and 1990.

Trammell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Ray Trammell, Jr. and grandson of Mrs. Frances Williams of Elba, and the late W. Ray Trammell, Sr. He plans to major in political science at the University of Alabama.



DEREK HEATH TRAMMELL

Dialing Changes Required For All Alabama Telephone Users

Beginning January 13, 1991, all telephone users in Alabama will have to change the way they make long distance calls within the state, and GTE and the other telephone companies are encouraging customers to begin the new dialing procedure now so it will be habitual by January.

In January it becomes mandatory for callers to include the 205 area code on every long distance call within the state. Currently, a long distance call within the 205 area code is made by dialing "1" or "0" plus the telephone number.

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New Arrival

MEGAN VICTORIA HODGE
Katie and Jason Hodge are very happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Megan Victoria, on June 25, 1990 at 1:05 p.m. at the Andalusia Hospital. Torie weighed 7 lb. 8 oz. and was 21 inches long.
Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dykes Rushing and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Hodge. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Spurlin, Mrs. W.O. Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Hodge. Great, great grandmother is Mrs. V.S. Nelson.

Damascus Reunion Planned For August 4th

The Damascus Reunion will be held again this year. It will be held at 10:00 a.m., August 4, 1990, at the New Brockton Farm Center. All former teachers and students who attended the Damascus School, along with their family members are invited to attend. Please bring a covered dish. Lunch will be served at 12:00 noon. For more additional information, please call 894-6280, 894-6463, or 897-6285.



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Sanders-Compton To Share Vows In August

Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Sanders of Brantley announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Ginny Marie Sanders of Brantley to Mr. Leslie Howard Compton of Brantley.
He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Compton of Brantley.
She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones of New Brockton, and Mrs. Francis Sanders of Samson.
The prospective groom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Powell and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Compton of Brantley.
The wedding is scheduled for 7:00 p.m. on August 3, 1990 at the Abundant Life Church of Samson. All friends and relatives are invited.

In an afternoon ceremony on June 16, 1990, Suzanne Lasseter and Adam Heath Feiner were united in marriage at Old Tabernacle United Methodist Church, New Brockton, Alabama. The Rev. Richard Lucas, church pastor, officiated the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Lasseter of New Brockton. The groom is the son of Pamela Stevens and Gregory Feiner of Enterprise.

The walkway leading up to the church held torches with opalescent bows. The double doors of the church were adorned with wreaths accented with mauve satin bows and tulle.

The guest registry table was on the front porch of the church, presided over by Ms. Susan Miller. Family pews were marked with mauve ribbons. The choir area was decorated with spiral brass candelabra accented with baby's breath and ivy. The communion table, located under the lighted cross held a sun-arrangement of gladiolus, stock, Prima Donna roses, carnations and daisies in white and mauve with sprenger greenery. Each window held an arrangement of mixed greenery and a votive candle. The unity candle and prayer bench was accented with greenery, baby's breath and pink roses and ribbon. Palms and ferns completed the decorations.

Wedding music was provided by Nelwyn Mixon Fussell, organist and Patti Roney Godwin, cousin of the bride, vocalist. Ms. Godwin sang "There is Love". After the mothers were seated, other vocal selections were: "Household of Faith", "Only God Could Love You More" and "The Lord's Prayer". The wedding party entered to "The Bridal Chorus" by Richard Wagner. Recessional music was "The Wedding March" by Mendelssohn.

Upon entering the sanctuary, the mothers of the bride and groom lit the unity candle.

Given in marriage by her parents and escorted by her father, the bride wore a gown of ivory satin and silk embroidered lace. The V-neckline was outlined with lace and hand-beaded with miniature pearls. Pearl tear-drops accented the appliques on the fitted bodice. The back featured a row of satin-covered buttons. Puffed Elizabethan sleeves tapered to lace-adorned net points over the wrists and fastened with satin buttons.

The full skirt was heavily adorned with cut-outs of lace sprinkled with pearls and iridescents. Silk lace pointed edged the hemline and cathedral train.

For her headpiece, the bride wore a wreath of silk roses and pearls which held her veil and a handkerchief of silk tulle illusion. A puff of illusion accented the back.

The bride carried a cascading bouquet of fresh chrysanthemums, roses and gypsophila encased with greenery and opalescent ribbon. Attached under the bouquet was a white linen and lace handkerchief which belonged to her paternal grandmother, the late Agnes Mixon Lasseter. She wore a pearl necklace and earrings.

Kimberly Smith Sanders served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Michelle Simmons, cousin of the bride, and Renea Jones.

The attendants wore Mauve colored dresses of tulle with lace overlays on the V-neck fitted bodice and lace sleeves tapered to a point over the wrist. The full skirt featured a waterfall hemline. A self-bow of the tulle was attached to the waistline. Each attendant carried fresh oval nosegays of white and pink carnations accented with ivy, gypsophila and sprenger greenery.

The groom was attended by Hugh Barber as best man. Ushers/groomsmen were Jimmy Redden and Chris Lasseter, brother of the bride. The groom wore a black formal tuxedo with wing-tipped ivory shirt and black and ivory accessories. The father of the bride was dressed the same as the groom. The groom's attendants wore mauve cummerbunds, with their attire matching that of the groom.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Lasseter wore a mint-green dress of chiffon over tulle featuring a side-drape and crushed satin cummerbund accented at the waistline with a bow.

The mother of the groom wore a mauve and green floral two-piece print ensemble featuring a brocade peplum jacket with a tea-length skirt.

The mothers and grandmothers corsages were of purple-throated orchids.

The wedding was directed by Ms. Ginger Lucas.

Immediately following the ceremony the brides parents hosted a reception in the fellowship hall of the church. The double doors were adorned with wreaths, matching those on the church doors. The hall was decorated with ferns banked at strategic points. Gayla Hollis, cousin of the bride, greeted guests as they entered the hall.

The brides table was centered in front of the screen of white lattice.



Mrs. Feiner

The three-tiered wedding cake had rosebuds of the ivory frosting cascading down the front of the tiers and was accented on the top with ivory wedding bells.

A flowing punch fountain was placed in front of a lattice screen as well as another punch table featuring a crystal bowl on a stand encircled with greenery, baby's breath and daisies.

The groom's German-chocolate cake was decorated with basket-weave and rosebud icing with grapes on either end displayed on a brass platter. A fruit display with dip rested on the groom's table also.

The buffet table held an assortment of food on silver trays and compostes. A floral arrangement of five assorted flowers in the wedding colors adorned the buffet table.

Ms. Doris Simmons, aunt of the bride, served the brides cake, assisted by Amanda Simmons, cousin of the bride, served at the buffet table. Ms. Becky Haynes presided at the groom's table.

Birdseed bags were passed out by Christie Hollis and Hannah Mixon. Their baskets were of wicker accented with tulle and ribbon.

For the honeymoon trip, the bride changed into a floral sun-dress with pink accessories.

Following their wedding trip to Pine Mountain, Georgia, the couple resides in Panama City, Florida, where the groom is serving in the United States Air Force stationed at Tyndall AF Base. In the fall, the bride will continue her studies at Florida State University Extension.

PRE-NUPTIAL PARTIES
***On April 27, a personal shower for the bride was held in the home of Ms. Doris Simmons with Ms. Sharon Simmons and Ms. Mary Coter as co-hostesses.

***On May 6, Cathy and Joe Outlaw of Ozark hosted a cook-out for the couple and close friends.

***On May 8, a kitchen shower was given in the home of Ms. Julian Pittman. Other hostesses were: Ella Jean Vaughan, Porchia Jones, LaNelle Hines, Dennie Walden and Earnestine McMonagle.

***On May 12, a miscellaneous shower was given at the Old Tabernacle United Methodist Church fellowship hall, hosted by the ladies of the church and community.

***On June 9, a birdseed bag party was given by Betty Sue Smith and Kimberly Smith Sanders.

***On the night of June 15, the groom's parents hosted an after-rehearsal dinner at The Co'ny Inn, Enterprise, for the bridal party, family members and out-of-town guests.

***On the day of the wedding, Ms. Elsie Hilton hosted a bridesmaids luncheon in her home, with Buena Snellgrove as co-hostess.

Janice M. Bailey is pleased to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of her daughter, Dr. Cheryl Bailey to Larry D. Davis of Babbie.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Mallory of Kinston. She is also the daughter of Billy J. Bailey of Selma, and the granddaughter of Mrs. Lewis Bailey of Opp.

She graduated from Kinston High School, attended Enterprise State Junior College, Auburn University, and graduated from Auburn University's School of Veterinary Medicine. She has her own veterinary practice, Bailey Animal Clinic in Opp.

The future groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude J. Davis. His grandparents are Gladys Morris and the late Daniel Davis, and Claude Boutwell and the late Ethel Boutwell.

He graduated from Opp High School, has worked with Davis Plumbing and Electric Co., and is currently employed with the Ft. Rucker Fire Department.

The wedding is planned for August 25, at 2:30, at the First United Methodist Church of Opp. Friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding and reception in the fellowship hall of the church.

Kevin and Connie (Flowers) Kelley are proud to announce the birth of their son Zachary Kevin Kelley. Zach was born at Flowers Hospital in Dothan, AL, on July 3rd, 1990, at 4:55 p.m. He weighed 7lbs. 2 ounces and was measured at 19 1/2 inches long.

Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Kelley of Elba, and Mr. and Mrs. John Flowers of Jack.

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Miss Bailey & Mr. Davis

Mr. And Mrs. Sims

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Cindy Henderson of Donaldsonville, GA kept the guest register.

Following the ceremony, a reception hosted by the bride's parents was held in the Dorothy K. Adams Center.

After a honeymoon trip to Negril, Jamaica, the couple now resides in Huntsville, where the groom is employed with Boeing Aerospace.

Pre-Nuptial Parties
***A bridesmaids luncheon hosted by Mrs. Dee Martin was held at Miss Mattie's in Enterprise on May 19th.

***A miscellaneous shower was held on May 19th in the home of Mrs. Grace Moore. Additional hostesses included Burt Danford, Elizabeth Adkinson, Betty Lewis, Jan Bass, Betty Bass, Patricia Bass, Carl Bass, Fat Green, and Nell Maddox.

***An after-rehearsal dinner hosted by the groom's father was held at Mossy Grove Schoolhouse Restaurant in Troy on June 8th.

George W. Sims served as his son's best man. Groomsmen were Reese McCurdy of Atlanta, GA and Frank Seigfried of Biloxi, MS.

The groom and groomsmen wore

Socials



Miss Pfeiffer & Mr. Smith

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Poetry Sought For Book

The National Arts Society is accepting general poetry for publication in a book entitled "Poems of Great America, Vol. 3".

Poets are invited to send two original poems of 30 lines or less (any subject, any style) for immediate consideration. No fee will be charged for submitting poetry.

Mail submissions to the National Arts Society, P.O. Box 630, Pass Christian, MS. 39571 by August 31, 1990.

The National Arts Society, founded in 1988, is a self-supporting group with members in the United States and Canada.

who share common interest in the literary, performing and fine arts. The organization has published eight poetry books.

SOCIALS

Mr. And Mrs. Dorsey Honored With Brunch

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Dorsey, IV, were honored with a brunch on June 10, at 9:30 a.m., in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Harper. Mr. Fred Harper co-hosted the brunch.

The guests were greeted at the door by the hostess and host. They were invited into the den for juice.

A delicious breakfast buffet was served. Silver serving pieces were used on the buffet.

The guests were seated in the dining room. A beautiful hand sewn cloth graced the table. Heirloom silver and china gorgeously decorated the table. In the center of the dining

table, a mirror held an elegant silver epergne. The epergne contained a beautiful arrangement of blue and white hydrangeas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey were presented a gift of silver by the hostess and hosts.

Guests included Mr. & Mrs. Dorsey, Mrs. Mary Lou Meadows, Mrs. Nelson Hester, Mrs. Richard Hayes, Mrs. Claude Dorsey, Jr., Miss Susan Dorsey, Miss Karen Madden, Mr. David Dorsey, and Mr. & Mrs. Pete Dorsey.



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Miss Bodiford Honored With Shower

Miss Sherry Bodiford, bride-elect of Kent Morrow was honored with a Kitchen - linen shower in the home

of Mrs. R.D. Harrison on Sunday, July 15, 1990.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Harrison and presented to the honoree, Miss Bodiford and her mother, Mrs. David Bodiford and the groom's mother, Mrs. Floyd Morrow.

Mrs. Marcus Floyd, twin sister of the bride-elect presided over the guest registry.

The guests were then invited into the dining room where they were served party dainties and punch from crystal appointments. The center of the table held a beautiful arrangement of assorted flowers, accented

with a crystal candelabra. From the dining room the guests were directed into the den where the gifts were displayed.

Assisting Mrs. Harrison were hostesses: Anne Brazellon, Ruth Inman, Jane Hudson, Ann Davis, Robbie Hudson, Joan Jacobs, Jo Daniels, Linda Berry, Pat Clark, Frankie McCollough, Mary Grey, Barbara Hudson, Frances Jacobs, and Kathy Smith.

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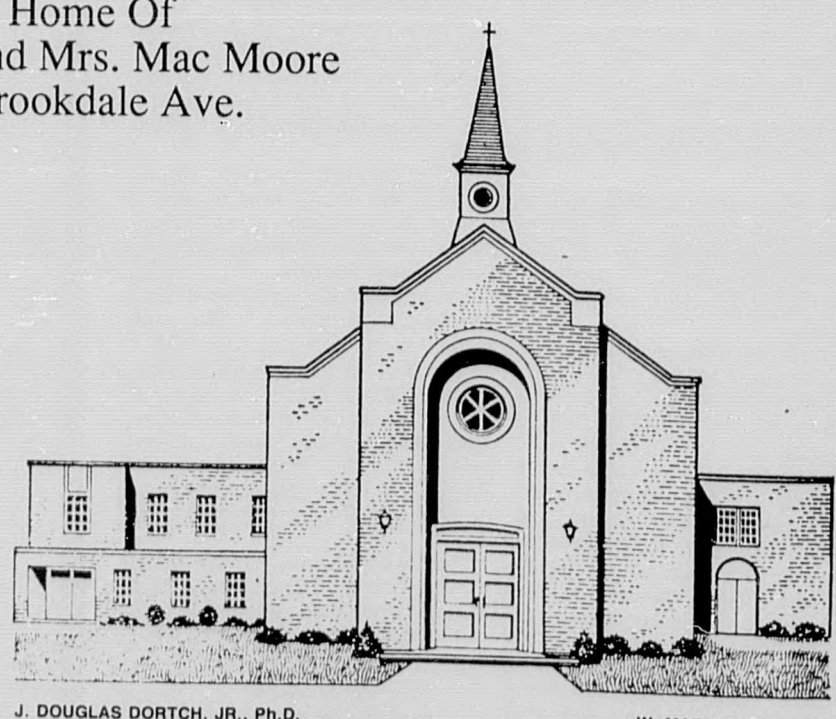
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By Rev. Danny Maddox
Whitewater Baptist Church



Let me begin by asking a couple of questions. Are you happy with your Christian life? Do you find it hard sometimes to live the Christian life? I believe God's Word gives the answers that can help you have a happy and victorious Christian life.

In Galatians 5:16 we find these words, "Walk in the Spirit, you shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh." In verse 25 of the same chapter we find, "If we live in the Spirit, let us also walk in the Spirit." Every Christian has the Holy Spirit living within him, therefore the key to victorious living is to WALK IN THE SPIRIT.

When we are walking in the Spirit we will be able to resist the temptations of the world. My friends, you can walk in the Spirit, and as you do, peace and happiness will fill your life. Why not begin your walk today?

As you continue your walk in the Spirit, you will find something wonderful will happen. You will start bearing much fruit. Spiritual fruit. Hear these words from Galatians 5:22-23, "The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faith, humility and self-control; against such there is no law." If you are bearing this kind of fruit each day then you cannot help but enjoy life to the fullest. The more you develop the spiritual habit of entrusting every moment to God,

taking each opportunity to glorify Him, the more this fruit will be manifested in and through your life.

Remember, it is God's desire to bless your life, but He will send the blessings in accordance to your obedience. If He says that we should walk in the Spirit, and we are obedient in doing so, then we can expect blessings to come.

You may be asking, How can I walk in the Spirit? Really the answer is simple. Place your total trust in the Lord and listen to that still small voice for direction. Pray, read the Word and go to church and worship with fellow believers. May God give you victory today!

Danny Maddox - Pastor
Whitewater Baptist Church



Notice

On Saturday, July 21, at 9 a.m. there will be the Annual Zoar Cemetery Meeting which will be held at the church.

All interested persons are urged to attend.

Senior Citizens Of Cordelia Street Meet

It was another summer day when the Senior Citizens of Cordelia Street met for their weekly meeting in the Community Room on Farris Street. Since we did not meet the week of the Fourth, there was a lot of news to exchange. The weather was the main topic. Some of our members were absent because of sickness or being out of town. Some of the folks came in on a SEATS bus. Part of the group played domino and others visited and talked about how things are since the flood. We had a good crowd. Even though the room was crowded, there was still plenty of room to move about and visit. Still no kitchen, but a delicious lunch was served to the following:

Mattie Lou Goodson
Texie Farris
Zadie Bouyer
Thelma Duggan
Frank and Lennie McCollough
Arthur Blackman
Frances Shaboo
Jimbo Cole
Myrl Burkett
M. Boling
Wanda Sasser

Card Of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone for their prayers, food, flowers, phone calls and love shown to us during the loss of our grandson, Scotty. We didn't know so many loved him so much.

God Bless all of you,
James and Jeanette Morgan
7-19-TTP

Remembering Thirty-five Years Ago

One of the ironies in the aftermath of the 1990 Flood is that I am giving (back) to Mother several old family photographs and heirlooms. This reverses the usual trend since I have been on the receiving end of the keepsakes for so long. A few days ago, I "discovered" the photograph printed above which I did not remember existed.

The photograph was taken of the family of Henry and Margaret Smith during a vacation on the Suwannee River in Florida. Judging from my age and the clothing, the picture was taken during the summer of 1955 - 35 years ago. To my knowledge, it is the only picture of the five children with Mother and Daddy and our maternal grandmother, Mrs. Arthur Brunson.

The picture brings back many memories for this family who has its roots in Elba prior to the Civil War and who called a house on Adkinson Avenue "home" from 1944 until the flood of 1990. In our hearts, it is still home.

Traveling was a part of our family routine. We were constantly going somewhere even if it were only for a weekend. We usually left after midnight when Daddy came home from working the night shift at Dorsey's. He always preferred driving at night while the children were asleep in the back seat and before the sun was in its eyes. Our grandmother, "Mama," was always invited to go and she rarely missed a trip.

We traveled as did the tortoise when he was challenged to race the hare. We carried our lodging with us. Behind the car our family trademark, an old looking camper-trailer, was in tow. The trailer was packed with a tent, food, pallets, and the bare necessities. Often another family trademark, a red bicycle-built-for-two, was tied on top. Daddy drove at a consistent 50 miles per hour and usually made it to destinations before other vehicles which made it to destinations traveled at faster speeds, but

Card Of Thanks

We extend our deepest heartfelt thanks to the many friends who comforted us during the loss of our much loved Scotty Norris. The kindness you expressed through your prayers, flowers and visits are helping us survive these trying times.

May God richly bless each of you.

Rita Ann and Buck Jackson,
7-19-ITC

"Behold, I am with thee, and will keep thee in all places whither thou goest."
— Genesis 28:15

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| <p>IN HIM WAS LIFE AND THE LIFE WAS THE LIGHT OF MEN.</p> <p>THE ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION MEETS EACH WED. AT 11:45.</p> <p>ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST - Bill Beck Bible Study 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Worship 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>ELBA CHURCH OF GOD - Nelson Kimberly Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Evangelistic Serv. 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>ELBA CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY - J. L. Waddy Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Sunday Afternoon 5:30 p.m. Wed. Service 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>ELBA DELIVERANCE TABERNAACLE - Darrell & Gert Riley Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Service 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>ELBA FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH - Doug Dorch Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Family Meal 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Chancel Choir 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>EANON BAPTIST CHURCH - Bernard Strickland Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.</p> | <p>DORCAS BAPTIST CHURCH - Donnie Marler Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 5:00 p.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Pastor's Aid 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 1st & 3rd Sundays</p> <p>ELBA ZION BAPTIST CHURCH - J. L. Grayer Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Choir Practice Thurs. before 1st & 3rd Sundays</p> <p>FAIRVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH - Randall Person Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 5:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>FAITH CHAPEL COMMUNITY CHURCH - Spyle Bagwell Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Kinston - Robert Bowen Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Service 11:00 a.m. C.A. (Youth) 5:00 p.m. Evangelistic Serv. 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>FRIENDSHIP HOLINESS - J. L. Edgar Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Sun. Evening 6:00 p.m. Wed. Service 7:00 p.m.</p> | <p>ELBA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Winston Jay Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Service 11:00 a.m. Youth Choir 5:00 p.m. Bible Study 6:00 p.m. Pastor's Aid 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 1st & 3rd Sundays</p> <p>HAW HILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Shirlee Ellis Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>INO ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Wesley D. Ard Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>JACK ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Rev. Walter Faulk Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH - Kenneth Fallon Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 5:00 p.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>MT. ZION SPIRIT OF HOLINESS - Jimmy Bryan - Minister Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Sun. Evening 6:00 p.m. Tues. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.</p> | <p>MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH - Wayne Webber Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 5:00 p.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>MT. VERNON ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Donnie East Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Class 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>MULBERRY HTGS. CHURCH OF CHRIST - R. B. Williams Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Wed. Bible Class 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>NEW ABUNDANT LIFE DEL. - Loyall Flowers Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Sun. Even. 7:30 p.m. Wed. Even. 7:30 p.m. Fri. Even. 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>NEW BAPTIST CHURCH - Doug Barnes Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Church Training 5:00 p.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 6:00 p.m.</p> <p>NEW BROCKTON METHODIST CHURCH - Michael Johnson Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m.</p> <p>NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST - Campbell Sasser Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Bible Study 5:00 p.m. Outreach - Wed. 8:00 p.m.</p> <p>NEW ERENEZER BAPTIST - Richard Larson Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 5:00 p.m. Outreach - Wed. 8:00 p.m.</p> | <p>NEW HAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH - Larry Duster Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Church Training 5:00 p.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting 6:30 p.m. Wed. Choir Prac. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>NEW HAVEN ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Jack Wilkes Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Even. Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>NEW HOP BAPTIST CHURCH - Tommy Bill Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Church Training 5:00 p.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>NEW PHILADELPHIA CHURCH OF GOD - Loyall Flowers Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Sun. Even. 7:30 p.m. Wed. Even. 7:30 p.m. Fri. Even. 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>NEW ZION BAPTIST CHURCH - Willie L. Peterson Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. 1st & 3rd Sundays 11:30 a.m.</p> <p>ROCKY HEAD M.B. CHURCH - A. R. Williams Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Church Training 5:00 p.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Fri. Home Prayer 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH - Campbell Sasser Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>TAYLOR HILL BAPTIST - Campbell Sasser Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Bible Study 5:00 p.m.</p> | <p>VICTORIA BAPTIST CHURCH - CEPHUS PHILLIPS Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Choir Practice 6:30 p.m. Training Union 5:00 p.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m.</p> <p>WESTSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH - Dr. Robert Kirkland Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Mem. Worship 11:00 a.m. Youth Choir Prac. 5:30 p.m. Church Training 5:00 p.m. Even. 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VIEWS FROM THE PRESSBOX BY RICKY MULARZ

Was I the only one in town that dreamed about another flood last Friday night? I doubt it, but if I was I won't lie about it, because when the rains came down and the weatherman was talking about flash floods across the state it brought back bad memories and when I went to sleep those memories turned into a dream that seemed all too real. I guess it will pass in time; however, for now the flood is still always in the back of my mind!

ALL-STAR TEAMS HAVE MIXED RESULTS IN TOURNEYS

Elba sent a total of seven All-Star teams to post-season play this summer and while only two of the teams are still alive as of this writing, all the teams played well and gave it all they had.

Here's a look at what has happened to the various groups of Elba All-Stars...

***12-Year-Old Babe Ruth All-Stars dropped two straight at District, but surprised most by battling until the end in both losses. Players had to be found to have enough players to even field a team and then no coaches could be found. Eleven players were finally found and two volunteer coaches stepped forward and after a couple of practices the team took shape and went to District. Forget the losses, this team gave it 110%!

***14-Year-Old Babe Ruth All-Stars won again Monday night to advance to the finals of the District tournament undefeated, and after winning by the scores of 28-5 and 13-3, it looks like the All-Stars are as good as expected. This bunch put Elba on the map in Babe Ruth Baseball and seems ready to do it again!

***Dixie Minor All-Stars traveled to the Sub-District event for the first time ever and claimed a win before being ousted. This league was new this summer and did have some problems that surface in any new league, but the All-Stars lost one game by only one run and then won by 16 runs in another. So, I think these guys deserve a special congratulations!

***Dixie Youth All-Stars won their third straight game Monday night in Sub-District action and are only one win away from earning a spot in the District Tourney. The Stars tossed a no-hitter in the 8-0 win over Highland Home and then belted Troy 9-5, before rallying late to dump Laverne 9-5. You can never tell what will happen in any sport; however, this bunch sure looks hard to beat!

***Dixie Major All-Stars competed in the District Tourney for the first time ever and claimed a pair of wins before being eliminated. Elba ripped Greenville 13-3 and edged Enterprise 2-1 for the wins and despite the losses posted a 20-win season. These players all worked during the day and played ball all over the country at night and to claim 20 wins was quite a feat!

***12 & Under Girls Softball All-Stars got a little muddy and a little frustrated at District, but found out that a lot of girls play softball and will no doubt learn from the two games played. These girls have played for years and most who watched thought they were real good, but you never know how really good you are until you compete against others the same age. Our girls are still good, but have room to get better!

***16 & Under Girls Softball All-Stars had to play Dothan in the opening round of the District Tourney and got whipped, as was to be expected, but bounced back and played well in the second game despite falling again. These All-Stars had only two teams to pick from, where the other towns had several leagues, not to mention teams. So, our girls did a lot better than you may have thought!

I know that All-Star teams mean shortening the season and many wish the season would last longer and would just as soon forget all about All-Stars; however, the players deserve the right to represent our city in out-of-town events and I for one think it's a great way to see just how strong our players really are. Win, lose or draw...All-Star teams are needed to make the leagues stronger!!

Dixie Youth & Babe Ruth All-Stars keep on winning

The Elba Dixie Youth and Babe Ruth All-Stars continued their winning ways Monday night to pull within one win of claiming tournament championships. The Dixie Youth All-Stars rallied with six runs in the top of the sixth inning to defeat Laverne 9-5, while the Babe Ruth All-Stars also rallied to thump Andalusia 13-3.

See next week's Sports for complete details of these games and the All-Star teams efforts to advance.

SPORTS

DYL All-Stars post easy wins in tourney

The Elba Dixie Youth All-Stars opened play in the Sub-District Tournament last weekend in Troy and made plenty of noise as they pounded Highland Home 8-0 and Troy 19-5 to advance into the third round as the tournament's only unbeaten team.

"We didn't hit the ball as well as we had hoped against Highland Home," said Coach Ronnie Vaughan, "but our pitchers combined to throw a no-hitter, and then against Troy we knocked the cover off the ball. If we will continue to improve and put our pitching and hitting together we should have a good shot at winning the tournament."

Following are highlights of both wins:

ELBA 8
H. HOME 0

Elba pitchers Rudy Free, Che Vaughan and Undra Chism combined to toss a no-hitter and struck out 15 batters Thursday night to spark the All-Stars to an 8-0 win over Highland Home.

Che Vaughan, Undra Chism and

Elba struck early in the game as in the top of the first inning Che Vaughan ripped a two-out home-run to give the All-Stars a 1-0 lead. Undra Chism followed with a double to keep the inning alive and raced home when Todd Grantham delivered a clutch single to up the early lead to 2-0.

John Robertson singled to open the second inning, moved to second on a walk to Shandez Daniels and scored Elba's third run when he reached home on a double by Rosco Coleman. Consecutive singles by Che Vaughan and Undra Chism and a double by Rudy Free resulted in three additional runs, and by the time the inning was over, Elba was in control with a 6-0 lead!

Chris Hudson doubled and later scored on a fielder's choice in the third inning to stretch the Elba lead to 7-0, while the final run of the night came in the fifth, when Brian Rowe singled with one out and scored on an RBI single by Leray Smedley.

Che Vaughan, Undra Chism and

Rudy Free all got 2 hits for Elba, while Leray Smedley, Rosco Coleman, Todd Grantham, John Robertson, Chris Hudson and Brian Rowe also added hits.

ELBA 19
TROY 5

The Elba All-Stars spotted Troy an early 4-1 lead and then came storming back Sunday afternoon to clobber the host team 19-5.

Elba grabbed a 1-0 lead in the top of the first and had a chance to take command, but left the bases loaded. The run came when Rosco Coleman doubled with one out and raced home on a single by Che Vaughan; however, Vaughan was later thrown out at second and despite a hit by Undra Chism and walks to Todd Grantham and Rudy Free, the All-Stars left the bases loaded and managed to score only one run.

Troy was also ready to swing the bats and stunned Elba by combining three hits with two errors and a walk to pile up 4 runs and move on top 4-1 by the end of the inning.

Elba was down, but not for long, as the locals stormed right back in the top of the second to score 7 runs and regained the lead at 8-4!

John Robertson reached on an error to open the inning and Shandez Daniels followed with a walk, but Robertson was forced out at third on a fielder's choice and it looked like Elba was again going to make a lot of noise, only to once again fail to put runs on the board.

This time Elba was ready to do some damage; however, as singles by Rosco Coleman, Che Vaughan and Undra Chism resulted in three runs, and key two-out hits by Todd Grantham, Eddie Cowen and John Robertson knocked in four more runs as Elba blew the game open by grabbing a big 8-4 lead!

Troy refused to quit and battled back in the second to cut the lead to 8-5, but Elba matched the run in the third and owned a 9-5 lead after three innings of play.

The lone run in the third came when Che Vaughan singled and scored when Todd Grantham delivered an RBI single with two-outs.

Singles by Chris Hudson, Che Vaughan and Undra Chism and an error off the bat of Rosco Coleman enabled Elba to plate 2 additional runs in the fourth, and Elba also added 2 runs in the fifth to stretch its lead to 13-5.

The runs in the fifth came as the result of back-to-back doubles by Rudy Free and Todd Grantham and a two-out single by Leray Smedley.

The 13-5 lead appeared to be safe, but Elba wasn't satisfied and erupted for six runs in the sixth inning to take a 19-5 lead and put the win on ice!

Rosco Coleman, Che Vaughan and Undra Chism all singled to open the inning, while Rudy Free delivered the death blow to Troy when he ripped a three-run home-run!

Todd Grantham reached on an error and scored on a hit by Chris Hudson, while Hudson stole his way around the bases and scored on a sacrifice fly by Brian Rowe to make the final 19-5.

Che Vaughan collected 5 hits to spark Elba, while Undra Chism added 4 and Rosco Coleman, Todd Grantham and Chris Hudson all added 3. Rudy Free collected 2 hits, including the big 3-run homer, while Leray Smedley and Brian Rowe added 1 hit apiece.

BR All-Stars bop Brundidge 28-5

The Babe Ruth District 2 Baseball Tournament began in Elba last weekend with Elba and Andalusia claiming opening round wins.

Andalusia opened the double-elimination event on Saturday night with a 6-4 win over Opp, while Elba pounded Brundidge 28-5.

Opp avoided elimination in the second round Sunday afternoon by beating Brundidge 3-2.

Following are highlights of all tournament games:

ANDALUSIA 6
OPP 4

Andalusia pulled ahead early and held on to defeat Opp 6-4. Opp jumped on top 1-0 in the top of the first when Brian Jones singled and later scored on a hit by Marty Richburg; however, Andalusia plated 3 runs in the second to grab a 3-1 lead that it would never relinquish!

A triple by Thomas Cross and a single by Scott Aughmon resulted in a quick run, while an RBI double by Zack Steele gave Andalusia the lead and Steele later raced home on a hit by Josh Hillburn to make it 3-1.

Opp pulled within 3-2 in the fourth when Jason Mack doubled and later scored, but Andalusia scored 2 runs in the bottom of the frame behind a total of five hits and held on for the win.

Zack Steele got 3 hits to lead Andalusia, while Josh Hillburn and Jason Bailey both added 2. Marty Richburg got 3 hits for Opp.

ELBA 28
B'RIDG 5

Elba scored almost at will to claim a lopsided 28-5 win over Brundidge.

Elba combined hit by Perry Stinson, Chris Parrish, Ron Bryan and Greg Thigpen with 4 walks to open up a quick 8-0 lead in the bottom of the first, and added 5 runs in the second to all but put the win in the bag as the lead ballooned to 13-0.

Elba failed to get a hit in the first round second inning, but received 4 walks and 3 errors and made the most of the opportunity.

An RBI single by Chris Parrish in the third inning upped Elba's lead to 14-0, while Brundidge scored in the

fourth to cut the lead to 14-1.

Elba added a lone run in the bottom of the inning, used the hitting of Lance McCollough, Josh Caldwell and Jamie Brockton to plate 4 runs in the fifth and then broke loose for 9 runs in the sixth to roll to the easy win.

Greg Thigpen, Perry Stinson, Chris Parrish, Lance McCollough and Josh Caldwell all got 2 hits for Elba, which combined 14 hits with 17 walks. David Mauldin and Forrest Caldwell both got 2 hits for Brundidge.

OPP 25
B'RIDG 4

Opp kept its hopes for a District title alive Sunday afternoon with 25-4 win over Brundidge.

Opp scored 6 runs in the opening inning to take command and scored runs in every inning but the third to plant the seeds for a lopsided win.

Brian Jones got 3 hits for Opp, while Jason Mack, Eric Cox, Chris Puckett and Keith Foley all added 2. Isaac Turner got 3 hits for Brundidge.

Elba Dixie Majors place 3rd in West Division

The Elba Dixie Majors saw their run at a District championship come to an end Sunday afternoon when they fell to Enterprise 9-4, in the Dixie Majors District Tournament, held at Enterprise.

Elba had dropped a narrow 7-6 decision to Enterprise in the opening round of the double-elimination event, but bounced back to clobber Greenville 12-3 and then sneaked past Enterprise 2-1 to reach the final three.

Elba, Enterprise and Troy all had one loss in the tourney and Troy won the coin toss, which meant Elba and Enterprise had to meet for the third time in four games, a game that Enterprise won to eliminate the locals.

Following are highlights of the closing three games:

ELBA 13
G'VILLE 3

Elba combined 10 hits with 12 walks last Wednesday night to clobber Greenville 13-3.

Hits by Jason Grider, Joel Kirkland and Todd McCall sparked a first inning outburst that saw Elba grab a quick 3-0 lead, while a two-out single by Shane Blanton in the third enabled the locals to increase their lead to 4-0.

Hits by Joel Kirkland and Shawn Diehl, combined with three walks, opened the way for Elba to score 5 more runs in the fourth inning as the Dixie Majors lead went to 9-0; however, Greenville showed signs of life in the bottom of the frame and scored 3 runs to cut the lead to 9-3.

Any hopes of a comeback by Greenville were short-lived; however, as Elba added 4 insurance runs in the fifth inning and put the game away by the score of 13-3.

The final outburst was sparked by the hitting of Todd McCall, Chris Thomas and Willie Flowers and allowed Elba to claim the quick win.

Joel Kirkland and Todd McCall both got 2 hits for Elba, while Kirkland also pitched a 4-hitter and fanned 5 batters.

ELBA 2
ENTERPRISE 9

Shane Spurlin tossed a 4-hitter and Elba made two early runs hold up as the Dixie Majors surprised Enterprise 2-1, Saturday afternoon.

Elba scored a run in the first when Shane Blanton singled and walked around the bases thanks to consecutive base on balls to Chris Thomas, Jason Grider and Joel Kirkland, and added another run in the second when Willie Flowers delivered a two-out single and raced home on an RBI single by Chris Thomas.

Enterprise combined a hit with an error in the third inning to cut the lead to 2-1; however, Spurlin never allowed another run to cross the plate and Elba held on for the exciting 2-1 win.

Willie Flowers, Shane Blanton, Chris Thomas and Shawn Diehl all got hits for Elba.

ENTERPRISE 9
ELBA 2

Enterprise led all the way Sunday afternoon to eliminate Elba by the score of 9-4.

Enterprise scored 3 runs on only 1 hit in the second inning to grab an early 3-0 lead, but Elba refused to die and scored a lone run in the third to chop the lead to 3-1.

The Elba run came when Shane Blanton ripped a one-out double and scored later on an error.

Enterprise combined 3 hits with 3 walks and an error to score 5 runs in the fourth inning as its lead ballooned to 8-1, but Elba again bounced right back and scored two runs in the bottom of the frame to pull within 8-3.

Enterprise upped its lead to 9-1 in the fifth and a late threat by Elba could only produce one run in the seventh, as Elba took the loss 9-4.

Chris Thomas and Jason Grider both got 2 hits for Elba, which saw its season end.



The Rhythm Masters



The Nelons

The Nelons And The Rhythm Masters Quartets Will Perform At Coop Meeting

Entertainment for the 1990 annual membership meeting of Covington Electric Cooperative on July 26 will be provided by the famous Nelson Singers of Smyrna, Ga., and the Rhythm Masters Quartet of Andalusia.

Since 1981, the Nelson Singers have been consistently voted the "best gospel and mixed gospel group" by the Singing News and Southern Gospel Music Association, and have received the Dove Award for the "best traditional gospel music album" for the past several years. They make over 250 personal appearances each year and perform on several television shows.

The Rhythm Master Quartet was formed in early 1989 and is a favorite of many throughout this area.

The first part of the entertainment program will begin at 6:00 p.m. and will continue until about 7:10. The meeting will be at the Andalusia High School football stadium.

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The Coffee County School System announces that application for the following position are now being accepted:

ADMINISTRATOR FOR THE COFFEE COUNTY AREA VOCATIONAL CENTER. Other duties as designated may be assigned.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: All applicants must have a Master's Degree in School Administration or Vocational Administration. Experience in school administration desired but not required.

The following procedures will be adhered to:

1. An application may be received from the Coffee County Board of Education at the following address:

Coffee County Board Of Education
Calyton P. Bryant, Superintendent
P.O. Box 280 - 210 School Street
New Brockton, Alabama 36351
Phone: 894-5578

2. Applications may be submitted to the address above.

3. Applications will be received until 5:30 p.m. on August 31, 1990.

4. All applications will be reviewed by appropriate principal and / or coordinator, who will arrange necessary interviews.

5. Recommendations will be submitted to the superintendent by the principal and / or coordinator.

6. The superintendent will make recommendations to the school board for action.

7. All applicants will receive written notification of action taken.

Martha Davis Selected Outstanding Support Staff Member At ESJC

Martha P. Davis, of Elba, was recently selected by her peers at Enterprise State Junior College as this year's outstanding support staff member. This honor automatically nominated her to represent Enterprise State in the Alabama College System's annual Chancellor's Awards competition. Davis, who has been employed with ESJC for 18 years, is secretary to the Dean of Development. She has two children: Pam Smith, a sixth grade teacher at Elba Middle School, and John, Jr. who works for general Electric and lives in Fairfield, California. She is the grandmother of four.



Martha P. Davis

Elba Area Residents Invited To Eye-Care Seminar

Elba-area residents have the opportunity to learn more about general eye care and health of their own eyes when Andalusia Eye Associates and Andalusia Hospital host a free reception and eye-care seminar on Wednesday, July 25. The public is invited.

In addition to free screening for vision, cataracts and glaucoma, the seminar from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. affords the people of Coffee County a chance to meet and get to know the ophthalmologists who practice at Andalusia Eye Associates.

Andalusia Eye Associates, with offices near Andalusia Hospital, has a medical staff of three: William L. Bennett, M.D.; Jimmy M. Carter, M.D.; and Norma Jeanne Flack, D.O. The Andalusia practice is associated with the Dothan Eye Clinic.

The group's association with Andalusia Hospital enables patient from Coffee County to receive the most sophisticated ophthalmological treatment, including cataract and other surgery, without having to travel to Dothan or Montgomery.

At the seminar in the hospital's cafeteria, the three ophthalmologists will conduct slide presentations to inform the people of Coffee County about major threats to vision: cataracts, glaucoma and corneal or external eye disease.

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My son, forget not my law; but let thine heart keep my commandments.

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Let not mercy and truth forsake thee: bind them about thy neck; write them upon the table of thine heart.

Proverbs 3:1-7

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***Homecoming and Revival Meeting of Bethlehem Baptist Church, Rt. 2, Elba, AL. Rev. G.C. Thomas, pastor. Will be held July 22 - 27, 1990.

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2:30 p.m. - Devotion, visiting church, Sermon/Rev. Kennedy, collection and dismissal.

Evangelist for the week - Rev. Curry Jr. from Troy, AL. Services begin each night at 7:30 p.m.

Monday night - Bethel A.M.E., St. Stephens A.M.E. Church officers.

Tuesday night - Oak Grove, Rocky Head Baptist Church officers.

Wednesday night - Piney Grove, Mt. Zion Baptist Church officers.

Thursday night - Elba Zion, New Zion Baptist and Nazareth Baptist Church officers.

Friday night - Mt. Zion, Zion Chapel, and Calvary Baptist Church officers.

Everyone is invited to come and worship with us.

***Mr. Tillman Lindsey, Lucile Rideaux and Vera Williams, all of Elba, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Saubert (Ruthie Mae), New Brockton, AL. Mr. and Mrs. Elias Barry (Olene) and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Hogan (Nettie Ruth) all of Enterprise, AL, last Sunday evening.

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LEGAL NOTICES

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

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A plot of land being one acre more or less in the community of Coppinville, Alabama, lying on the Northeast side of the old unimproved public road running from Coppinville to the old ACL Rail Road overpass, and being bounded on the West side by the virtue of the power of sale contained therein, to-wit: the following described real estate, situated in Coffee County, Alabama, to-wit: and punch were:

Those enjoying the baked beans, barbecue ribs, franks, chicken, rice, potatoe chips, salads, cake, iced tea and punch were:

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The SUCCESSFUL BIDDER whether a resident or non-resident shall be required to comply with all City, County, and State licensing and/or permit laws. BIDS in the case of corporation not chartered in Alabama, must be accompanied by proper certificate evidencing that such corporation is authorized to do business in the State of Alabama.

Before award is made to a BIDDER not a resident of the State of Alabama, such BIDDER shall designate a proper agent in the State of Alabama on whom service can be made in the event of litigation.

The OWNER reserves the right to reject any and all BIDS, to waive any informality or irregularities in the BIDS received, and to accept any BID which is deemed most favorable to the OWNER at the time and under the conditions stipulated.

NO BIDDER may withdraw his BID within 10 days after actual date of opening thereof.

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FRED W. MOORE, MAYOR
Elba, AL 36323
Phone: 897-2823

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR
Estate of Weeden Vann, deceased
PROBATE COURT

Let it be remembered that the undersigned, having been granted to the undersigned on the 5th day of July, 1990, by the Honorable Marion B. Brunson, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Madge Vann - 7-12-3C

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF COFFEE

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE
Default being made in the conditions of the mortgage executed by Jackie D. Slawson and wife, Elizabeth A. Slawson, to J. M. Moore and wife, Ann Moore, on the 31st day of January, 1989 and recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Coffee County, Elba Division, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 88-A at Pages 485, notice is hereby given that mortgagee, J. M. Moore and wife, Ann Moore, will under the power of sale contained in said mortgage, on August 16, 1990, beginning at 11:00 a.m., at the courthouse of Coffee County, Alabama, Division, Alabama, sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:

Beginning at a point where the north-westerly line of Bluff Springs Road intersects the westerly line of the north-westerly line of NW 1/4, Section 14, and running thence North 04 degrees 42 minutes East 118.0 feet thence South 04 degrees 08 minutes West a distance of 271.0 feet to the northwesterly right of way of Bluff Springs Road; thence South 36 degrees 17 minutes West along the northwesterly right of way of said road a distance of 231.0 feet to the point of beginning. Said property lying in the NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Section 14, Township 7 North, Range 20 East, Coffee County, Alabama.

Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt, costs and expenses of foreclosure.

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13- WALT DISNEY'S JUNGLE BOOK (G)
CHORUS DANCE M-F 7:30 S-S 2-7:45 (R)
14- THE JETSONS (G)
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16- THE ADVENTURES OF FORD (R)
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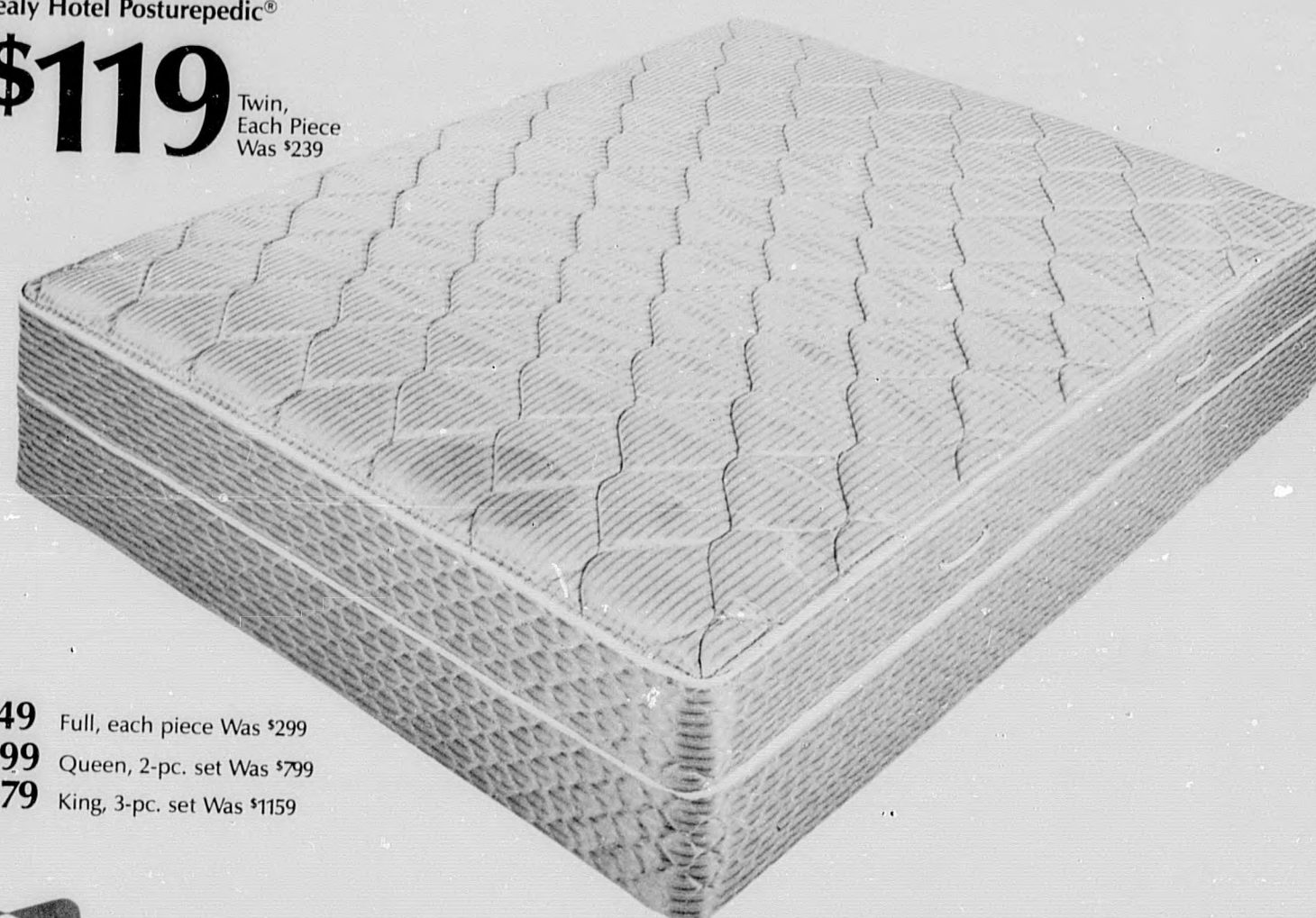
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